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1. About 1,500 Chinese convicts, mostly political criminals, 200 Soviet soldiers, and 50 German prisoners of war are confined in the prison at Port Arthur. The prison also houses a unit of the Soviet army.
 2. The German prisoners of war are technicians and will be employed at the Manchurian Chemical Industries Company in Dairen.* The Germans were transferred from the USSR to Port Arthur
 3. The Chinese convicts, working in three shifts a day, are engaged in repairing damaged Soviet warships in the port of Dairen.
- * Comment. Under the Japanese the Manchurian Chemical Industries Company had a reported annual capacity of 240,000 tons of ammonium sulfate. Sulfuric acid was also produced.

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